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### NAS LEMOORE INSTRUCTION 5512.2E

From: Commanding Officer, Naval Air Station, Lemoore

Subj: PROCEDURES FOR IDENTIFICATION AND APPREHENSION OF  
MILITARY PERSONNEL

Ref: (a) Manual for Courts-Martial, 1995  
(b) MILPERSMAN 4620150, 4620200, 4620250

1. Purpose. To establish procedures for the identification and apprehension of military personnel by Navy Security Force (NSF) personnel.

2. Cancellation. NASLEMINST 5512.2D

3. Information

a. This instruction applies to all military personnel having contact with NSF personnel.

b. Reference (a) defines apprehension as "the taking into custody of another". Reference (b) provides that all persons in the U.S. Navy shall have in their possession a valid Identification Card, DD Form 2N, whether active duty, reserves, or retired, and shall surrender it when requested by proper authority for purpose of identification and investigation.

4. Action

a. NSF personnel in the execution of their duties are acting under the full authority of this command. Accordingly, all NSF personnel must conduct themselves following the appropriate high standards required in the conduct of command business.

b. All military personnel seeking ingress or egress to or from NAS Lemoore, or within the purview of the Security Detachment, regardless of rank or rate, are directed to surrender on request their Identification Card (DD Form 2N) for purposes of identification to NSF personnel.

c. Personnel posted on duty as sentinels or guards at any point of ingress or egress at NAS Lemoore are directed to use the utmost tact in checking identification cards.

(1) Ingress or egress shall be denied, regardless of rank or rate, to any individual who refuse to satisfactorily identify themselves following this instruction.

(2) NSF personnel do not have the authority to apprehend persons not subject to the Uniform Code of Military Justice. However, Title 18 U. S. C. and Navy Regulations authorize the detention, removal from base, and delivery to civilian authorities of such individuals, for probable cause, for offenses committed on base.

(3) Apprehension of identified officers by NSF shall be subject to the following guidelines:

(a) Apprehension shall be effected only when specifically directed by a commissioned officer, except when:

1. Apprehension is necessary to prevent the commission of a serious crime such as armed robbery, murder, sabotage, etc.

2. Apprehension is necessary to prevent the escape of one known to have committed a serious crime.

3. Apprehension is necessary to prevent an officer from bringing disgrace upon the service.

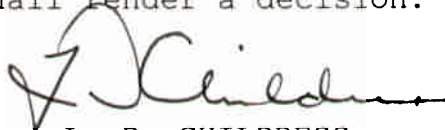
(b) Immediately following the apprehension of an officer, the individual effecting the apprehension will notify the Station Security Officer and Command Duty Officer through their normal reporting chain.

(c) In cases where apprehension of an officer cannot be effected for any reason or in cases where NSF personnel are in doubt as to the propriety of effecting such apprehension, the facts and circumstances of the incident together with any information available to identify the officer shall be immediately reported to the Station Security Officer and Command Duty Officer and Command Duty Officer through the normal reporting chain.

(4) NSF personnel are authorized, as necessary, to apprehend enlisted personnel upon reasonable belief that they have committed an offense under the Uniform Code of Military

Justice. NSF posted as gate sentries, will normally limit apprehension of enlisted personnel to those known to be involved with serious offenses, or whose observed conduct at the time of ingress or egress of NAS Lemoore is clearly prejudicial to good order and discipline of the Armed Forces.

(5) In all instances not specifically covered by this instruction, the Security Officer, Command Duty Officer, or NSF supervisor, as appropriate, shall render a decision.



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